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In re Application of:

Masaji ISHIGURO et al.

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Serial No.: 09/178,594

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For: PROCESS FOR SYNTHESIZING 4-SUBSTITUTED AZETIDINONE DERIVATIVES

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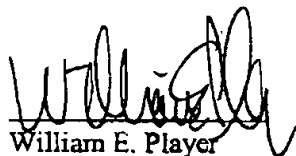
Transmitted herewith is a Power of Attorney and Change of Correspondence Address in the above-captioned application.

— Small Entity status of this application under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a verified statement previously submitted.

— If a Petition for Extension of Time is necessary and the Petition and/or the check is not enclosed, this will act as the Petition and applicant herewith petitions the Commissioner to extend the time for response and charge any fees necessary under 37 CFR 1.17 (a)-(d) to Deposit Account No. 06-1358. The Commissioner is also authorized to charge payment of any other additional fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 06-1358.

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SPECIAL COMMENTS OR INSTRUCTIONS:

Dear Ms. Cook:

Pursuant to our recent telephone conversation, attached is a copy of the Power of Attorney and Change of Correspondence Address filed October 26, 2001, together with the date-stamped postcard.

Respectfully submitted,

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